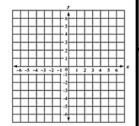
Ways to Prove a Right Triangle

- 1. Use the distance formula to show $a^2 + b^2 = c^2$.
- 2. Show you have a right angle by using slopes to prove that two lines are perpendicular.

Given: A(2, 2), B(6, 1), & C(3, 6)

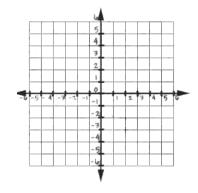
Prove: ABC is a right triangle in 2 ways



Other examples:

I. If AC is the hypotenuse of a right triangle, find two ordered pairs that could represent point B in Triangle ABC.

$$A(2, 3)$$
 and $C(-3, -2)$



2. Prove the triangle is a right triangle by using the Pythagorean Theorem.

$$A(-2, -3)$$
, $B(-1, 1)$, & $C(3, 0)$